

REMARKS

On October 1, 2007, the Office issued a Restriction Requirement in the present application. The Office indicated that claims 1-4 and 13-16 are drawn to one invention (invention I), namely, allocation of threads to user interface contexts, and claims 5-12 and 17-24 are drawn to a second invention (invention II), namely, processing/scheduling jobs based on priority.

Applicant hereby elects to pursue invention I and claims 1-4 and 13-16 directed to allocation of threads to user interface contexts. Applicant has above-cancelled, without prejudice, non-elected claims 5-12 and 17-24 directed to invention II. Applicant hereby expressly reserves the right to file one or more continuation or divisional applications covering the subject matter of non-elected claims 5-12 and 17-24.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Acct. No. 19-2112.

Respectfully submitted,

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